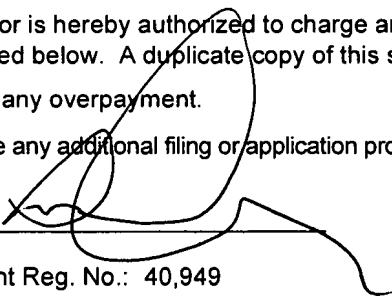




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Applicant(s): Hiroshi AKIYAMA et al.					
Invention: PESTICIDE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PRESERVATION TYPE					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 21, 2007, Applicant hereby submits the enclosed Preliminary Amendment effecting the changes requested in the Notice. More specifically, Applicant has amended the Abstract of record to be one paragraph as per the Patent Office's request.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0013, under Order OTA-0007 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.